

# **Tempe Project News**

#### Brief Information:

- Utility relocation scheduled to accommodate light rail needs for Tempe.
- Construction scheduled to begin early April 2005 for Rural/ Lemon/Terrace Roads
- BUSINESSES WILL REMAIN **OPEN AND** ACCESSIBLE!

#### PROJECT CONTACT **INFORMATION:**

Website: www.tempe.gov/water

City of Tempe Ron Coleman (480) 858-2175

Info on light rail: (602) 744-5565

## **Light Rail Utility Relocation – Water/Sewer Line** Improvements at Rural/Lemon/Terrace Roads

The City of Tempe has scheduled construction along Rural, Lemon, and Terrace Rds. Achen-Gardner Engineering is the project contractor, with the project scheduled to begin early April and be completed August 2005.

This project, as well as the two others detailed in this article, is necessary to accommodate the light rail needs for the Tempe area.

The Rural/Lemon/Terrace project will replace sewer lines starting on Rural Rd just north of Apache Blvd, head north on Rural to Lemon, then east on Lemon from Rural to Terrace. Water lines will then be replaced along

Lemon from Rural to Terrace, and on Terrace from Rural Rd to Apache Blvd. (see map below)

Achen-Gardner will have temporary staging areas for equipment along the pipeline corridor as needed.

During the Rural/Lemon/ Terrace construction. there will be one lane of traffic in each direction along Terrace Rd; two lanes of traffic in each direction along Rural Rd; and Lemon Rd will be closed to thru traffic (open to local traffic only).

Periodic project updates will be provided. Thank you for your patience

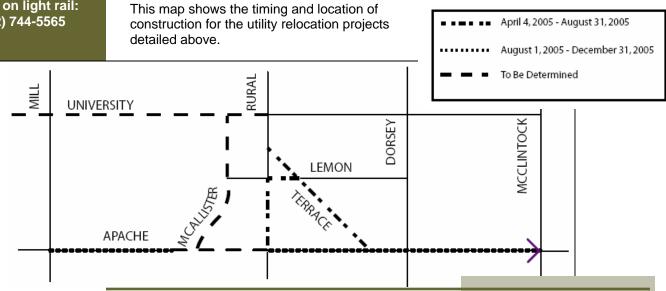
during this construction, which should allow additional utility relocations for light rail to proceed more smoothly.

#### Follow-on projects include:

Replacing water lines along Apache Blvd from Mill Ave to Price Rd, scheduled to begin August 2005 and be complete December 2005.

Replacing water and sewer lines along University from Mill Ave to Rural Rd, and sewer lines on ASU's main campus along McAllister Ave. This will help accommodate the growth of ASU and the light rail needs of the City of Tempe. The construction schedule for this project has not been determined.

### Tentative Schedule for Upcoming Tempe Water and Sewer Line Improvement Construction



## **Neighborhood Meeting Planned!**

If you have questions, comments, or would like additional information, we invite you to attend a neighborhood meeting to discuss project details.

This neighborhood meeting will be held Wednesday, March 23, 2005, at 6:30 pm, at the Holiday Inn, 915 E. Apache Blvd, Tempe.

If you are unable to attend, but would like more information, feel free to visit the City of Tempe website at <a href="https://www.tempe.gov/water">www.tempe.gov/water</a> or contact us at 480.858.2175.

Periodic project updates will be included on the website and provided to the neighborhood to keep you current on our progress.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR PATIENCE DURING CONSTRUCTION

## City of Tempe Water Utilities

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